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TERTIARY AMINES

**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the  
Final Office Action dated April 1, 2010.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.